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PRESS RELEASE

Date/Time of Release: Wednesday, May 30, 2007
Date/Time of Occurrence: Tuesday, May 29, 2007 5:25 p.m.
Nature of Event: Wine Robber Caught in High Country
Location of Call: Alta
Released by: Dena Erwin, PIO (530) 889-6901

SHERIFF EDWARD N. BONNER RELEASES THE FOLLOWING:



Jabarie Tyreese Brown

A robber who stole wine and cash from an Alta store at knifepoint was subdued with the help of a Sheriff's K-9 and pepper spray Tuesday evening,

Jabarie Tyreese Brown, 23, a Sacramento-area transient, first entered the Alta Liquor and Mini-Mart around 5:25 p.m., according to Deputy Ryan Owens. He ran out with a large bottle of Carlo Rossi wine. Deputies responded but were unable to locate the suspect.

Then, around 7:15 p.m., the Sheriff's Department received another 911 call from the liquor store owner who said the suspect had just returned to the store, pulled a knife and took all of the cash from the cash register.

Deputy Owens set up a perimeter in the mountainous, heavily wooded area with the assistance of other deputies, two Sheriff K-9's, CHP officers and the CHP helicopter. Brown was flushed out of the woods as the dogs closed in on him. He failed to comply with orders and was subdued with pepper spray. After he was taken into custody, he was decontaminated of lingering gasses and then transported to the Placer County Jail where he was booked on charges of armed robbery.

When he was arrested, Deputy Owens said Brown was in possession of the knife, all of the store's cash and the nearly empty 1.5 liter bottle of wine.